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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Han Oh PARK et al.

Title: MICROORGANISMS FOR TREATMENT OR  
PREVENTION OF CORPULENCE AND DIABETES  
MELLITUS, AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION  
CONTAINING THE SAME

Appl. No.: 09/855,836

Filing Date: 5/16/2001

Examiner: Ware, D.

Art Unit: 1651

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[ X ] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	28	-	47	=	0	x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	9	-	10	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:							+	\$290.00	= \$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL									= \$0.00

- ☒ Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00	\$950.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$110.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:		\$950.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the three-month extension of time fee is enclosed.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated October 21, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application. The period for response has been extended up to April 21, 2004 by the three (3) month extension of time included in the attached Amendment Transmittal. Although applicants believe that the amount of the attached check is correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: